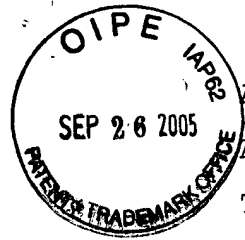


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RESPONSE TO SECOND OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

Applicants submit the following remarks in response to the outstanding Office Action dated March 24, 2005. A petition for an extension of time, which extends the period for response to September 24, 2005, accompanies the present response.